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1. The reply brief filed April 11, 2005 has been entered and considered. The application has been forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Inferences for decision on the appeal.

### *Conclusion*

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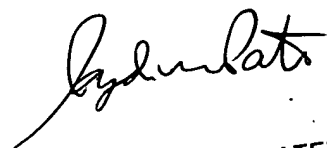
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